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## COOKING STOVES.



## CHARTER OAK

Over all other Stoves.  
A Charter Oak over 13 Years  
in Daily Use.

NEW ORLEANS, APRIL, 1869.  
I hereby certify that I purchased from RICE  
BROS. & CO. in the year 1869, the FIRST  
CHARTER OAK STOVE they sold. This  
stove has been in daily use in my family up  
to the present time, and I cheerfully  
recommend the "CHARTER OAK STOVE"  
to all who are in the market for a  
stove, as it is the best, and gives more  
heat than any other stove, and is  
entirely safe, and gives so much satisfaction  
that I have never had occasion to  
change.

The Charter Oak Stove can be bought  
at the same price that they can be had  
in New Orleans, from RICE BROS. & CO.  
The world-renowned Charter Oak Stove  
is sold by  
JOSEPH E. WISE,  
Sole Agent for the State of Vermilionville  
and Parish of Lafayette.  
March 19, 70.

## DOCTEUR BELINOULT, CHIRURGIEN DENTISTE.

Prix de l'Élixir Vermilionville, La.

EXTRACTION des dents et des  
maladies dentaires sans douleur,  
par l'emploi de l'Élixir Vermilionville de  
la Pharmacie de Chirurgical de la  
Famille, des dents se retirent, Plaque en  
ciment, et tout ce qui est en  
dent extraction des dents.

Remplacement des dents irrégulières  
des dents cassées et malades.  
Remplacement des dents de malades  
et de la douleur causée par la maladie et  
de la douleur de la dent.  
Remplacement (plombage) des dents  
cassées, sans douleur. Anesthésie  
ou sans douleur et sans douleur et sans  
douleur sans douleur et sans douleur.  
PREMIER TRÈS MODÉRÉ.  
Le Docteur se rend à domicile  
à la nuit, de dix heures à onze heures  
à la nuit.

## ADOLPHE ALEX. MOUTON, SUGAR FACTOR.

AND  
SUGAR FACTOR,  
No. 100 Common Street,  
NEW ORLEANS.

Advertisement for sugar factor services.

## M. P. YOUNG. F. C. LATOIAIS YOUNG & LATOIAIS, DRUGGISTS & PHARMACEUTISTS.

Vermilionville, La.

Have for sale a large and complete  
stock of  
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals,  
Perfumery, Patent Medicines,  
Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes,  
Window Glass, Glassware,  
Surgical Instruments, &c.  
Together with all the requirements of the  
DRUG TRADE, which they offer very low for  
cash. Wholesale and Retail.

Also  
BOOKSELLERS and STATIONERS,  
School Books, New Series  
Blank Books, Account Books,  
Slates,  
and every article required by the trade, with  
a large assortment of  
FANCY GOODS.

Will also, cut glass and mix paints free of  
charge.

Purchasers are invited to call and  
examine our stock and prices.  
April 30, 1870.-17.

## City Council of Vermilionville.

On Monday the 9th day of May A. D.  
1870, the newly elected Mayor and mem-  
bers of the City Council of Vermilionville,  
having been duly qualified, took their  
oath.

Present: W. O. Smith, Mayor; Mem-  
bers: J. A. M. Smith, H. Landry, R. A.  
Salter, J. H. Wiser, R. L. McBride, Wm.  
Brand, and R. G. Gagnier.

The Mayor called the Council to order,  
and they then proceeded to the election of  
their officers for the ensuing year, to-wit:

On motion, H. M. Bailey, was elected  
Secretary.

W. B. Bailey, Treasurer and Printer.  
J. A. Chagnon, Constable and Collector.  
E. E. Houston, Attorney.

The above officers to receive the same  
salary as last year.

On motion, it was resolved, that the  
Treasurer furnish bond in the sum of  
Fifteen Hundred (\$1500) Dollars.

Resolved, That the Constable and Col-  
lector furnish bond in the sum of Fifteen  
Hundred (\$1500) Dollars.

On motion, it was resolved, that a Com-  
mittee of three, be appointed by the  
Commissioners. The Mayor appointed  
Messrs. J. H. Wiser, R. L. McBride and  
A. M. Mouton said committee.

Resolved, that a committee of two, be  
appointed by the Mayor, to receive the  
bond of the Constable and Collector,  
Messrs. J. A. Salter and H. Landry, were  
appointed as said committee.

Resolved, that the Treasurer, be and is  
hereby required to make a quarterly report  
to the Council of the Financial condition  
of the Corporation, and that the same be  
published.

Resolved, that notice is hereby given to  
all persons having claims against the  
Corporation, to present the same to the  
Treasurer, within Twenty days from the  
publication of this resolution.

Resolved, that from and after the publi-  
cation of this resolution, it will be the  
duty of the Constable to remove or cause  
to be removed, all dead animals found  
within the limits of the Corporation, for  
which services he shall be allowed the  
sum of Fifty cents per head, when the  
owner of the animal or animals, cannot be  
ascertained. Further, should the owner of  
any dead animal refuse or neglect to remove  
said animal from the limits of the Cor-  
poration, the same shall be removed by the  
Constable, at all times, and the owner of  
said animal, shall have the same removed, at  
the expense of the owner.

Resolved, that all laws or parts of laws  
contrary to the above resolution, be and  
are hereby repealed, at the Council adjourned.

On motion the Council adjourned.  
H. M. Bailey, Mayor.  
W. O. Smith, Secretary.

## Let the Deaf Hear.

Advertisement for deaf hearing aid.

## The Lafayette Advertiser.

TERMS—  
Subscription, FOUR DOLLARS per annum,  
in advance, or FIVE DOLLARS, if not paid within  
the first three months.

ADVERTISING—  
Per Square, (10 lines or less) ..... \$1 50  
Every subsequent insertion ..... 75  
Announcement of candidates for office ..... \$10 00  
No credit will be given for Advertising or Job  
work, except by special agreement.

Cards stating merely the names, business and  
place of residence, with paper enclosed, Twelve  
Dollars per annum.

All advertisements not marked, will be pub-  
lished until forbidden, and charged for accordingly.  
All judicial advertisements must be paid  
for on the last day of publication, or on the day  
of sale.

## Vanderbilt.

The following is from the account of  
Commodore Vanderbilt in a recent publi-  
cation:

Horace Clark, Vanderbilt's son-in-law,  
was always a favorite with the stately old  
gentleman. The current gossip about his  
marriage is not lacking in amusement.

Clark was high-spirited, even when  
poor. Having decided to wed the young  
lady, he called upon his future father-in-  
law, and without preliminary began:

"Commodore, I wish your daughter in  
marriage."  
"H'y!" quoth the money king.  
Clark repeated his words.

"You are an son of a money,"  
quoth Vanderbilt from his chair.  
"You and your money be d-d." flun-  
ged out the young lawyer, as he wench'd  
his hat in his hand, and turned to leave  
the room.

"Hold on, young man," said Vander-  
bilt, straightening himself on his feet, and  
looking wonderfully grave and paternal;  
"hold on!"

"I rather like you, I didn't see you  
should not have my daughter. You may  
have her I father likes you, young man."

Clark never did get much of the Com-  
modore's money, except in indirect ways.  
He had shares in speculations, and was  
always well supplied with points. One  
Vanderbilt determined to see him. Clark  
lost thousands of dollars. He told his  
father-in-law what he thought of it, and  
after a time the money was made good.

This habit of getting every body has been  
increased, if we may trust to rumor, on  
nearly every member of the family. Wil-  
liam Vanderbilt is credited with having  
been favored in this way. One day his  
father came to him and suggested that he  
had better sell Hudson; 110 was too  
high for it.

"Thank you," said the son.  
"Vanderbilt, William concluded to look  
about him first. The stock kept steady,  
with ups and downs of fractions of one  
per cent. By peculiar ways it was dis-  
covered that the elder Vanderbilt was buy-  
ing quietly.

William determined to follow suit. Up  
jumped the stock to 127. I was a clear  
26 per cent. in the pocket.

When the operation was concluded, the  
Commodore rode round to his son's office.  
"Well, William, how much did you  
buy?"

"I was in at 110 on 10,000 shares.  
That ought to make me two hundred and  
sixty thousand dollars."

"Very bad luck, William," quoth the  
father, trying to look extremely troubled.  
"Very bad luck this time."  
"But then I bought, and so made."  
"H'y! What sort you to doing that  
way?"

"O! I heard that was your line, and so  
concluded that you meant long instead of  
short."

"Ah! I!" quoth Vanderbilt, "per" as  
he buttoned up his fur overcoat, and stalk-  
ed out of the door. "H! But why you had  
a high opinion of W. since that event."

Advertisement for a book or publication.

## Nye's Hat.—The "Muddle-Club," in the Old Guard for June has another sw on Senator Nye, but this time Horace Greely is one of the sufferers. It says:

The age of Chappaqua was at Wash-  
ington last week, and was invited to a  
grand pow-wow of the select faithful at  
Downing's where there was to be a grand  
supper, and all that. Nye, being a Senator,  
and generally a big Indian, was, of  
course, one of the guests, and by way of  
keeping down his impatience, had imbibed  
sundry and diverse mixtures of water and  
things during the afternoon, so that when  
he came to join the brethren at the hour  
appointed, all his native good nature and  
kindness of heart were intensified, and he  
set like giving every poor woman in  
Washington a barrel of flour, and thought  
of moving a joint resolution to remove  
the Capitol to Bourbon County, Ken-  
tucky. Jim had invested an X during the  
day in the purchase of a new hat. I was  
a wonderful life. It had been pur-  
chased under the advice of Tom Florence,  
who is a judge of hats, and was, for sym-  
metry of proportions, backness of hair,  
and fineness of material, an artistic tri-  
umph. With the utmost care Nye re-  
moved that superb exterior from his classi-  
cal head. Where should he put it? On a  
peg of the hat rack? No. Guests at  
supper parties make mistakes, and going  
out with a certain quantity of liquor in  
one's apt to pick the best of the head-gear;  
so that a stocking had had its calamity  
additional to the woes assigned by Solo-  
mon to those who tarry long at the  
wine. So he took his previous possession  
into the dining room with him, and care-  
fully deposited it on a corner of a sofa. A  
that moment Horace entered, with that  
elegant get of his, that hitch and toss and  
egg-treading movement, a cross between  
the fussy step of a corrected dandy and  
the roll of a sailor just off a six year's  
crisis, and before Nye could say Jack  
Robinson—which nobody ever tries to say,  
or "Take care," which he ought to have  
said—the business was done. Down flopped  
Greely in that very corner, and on that  
identical stove-pipe hat, crushing it so  
flat as a buckwheat cake, and quite as  
unconscious as though he had only sat  
down on a basket of eggs, or his wife's  
most precious hand-bag. Nye's hat, minus  
Nye, was beautiful to look at, as well as  
worth cash, money—a symmetrical struc-  
ture, perfect in shape, an emanation of  
intellectual design and consummate execu-  
tion; but Nye's hat, plus Greely, was a  
struck, a ruin, a desolated, not worth a  
continental-blowing. The hat was plush,  
and Nye was non-plush. The Nye was  
to be worn on such an occasion; but  
Nye is a Christian, meek and lowly, and  
instead of a high way took a by-way. He  
studied himself as well as he could under  
the burden of an affliction as great, and  
unfamiliar as never, and going on the d-lap-  
dated tile, "more in sorrow than in anger,"  
thus gave vent to the emotions of the mo-  
ment: "H! Horace! You've seen a quick-  
ed my 'at as flat as a flapping jack. 'F I  
know no horse, I'd try to catch it  
your coat and trousers! Into my 'at I'd  
bought one as big as a wash tub for your  
apish consolation!"

Advertisement for a book or publication.

## THE PRAIRIE GREGG DIFFICULTY.

We are told that but little  
effort has been made to arrest  
the murderers of Capt. Saun-  
ders, for some strange reason,  
and that so far none have been  
found who are known to have  
been with the band. Nicolas  
Meux, who is suspected of  
being one of the murderers last  
week went to Abbeville and sur-  
rendered himself, and we are told  
that he claims that he can prove  
that he was at home at the time  
of the tragedy. We have heard  
it stated that such is the bad char-  
acter of some citizens in that  
neighborhood, that none of them  
would have any difficulty to  
prove an alibi. We know nothing  
of the people of that section  
of the country except from hear-  
say, and hope to find them much  
better than represented. The  
good citizens of that locality  
should do their utmost to put  
down lawlessness, for their own  
credit.

At last accounts, Mr. Williams,  
who was so badly wounded, was  
apparently recovering, and we  
hope he will yet be able to iden-  
tify some of the murderers. Mr. H.  
Rabb, who saw the murder, was  
summoned to go to Abbeville to  
testify against Nicolas Meux, last  
Wednesday, but we have not yet  
learned the result.—New Iberia  
Times.

Advertisement for a book or publication.

## PROMPTNESS.—Promptness is a cardinal virtue. Nothing noble in life can be achieved without it. With it all difficulties vanish, all obstacles disappear. The prompt man is the successful man. He takes time by the forelock. The opportunity comes and he seizes it. Luck is on his side. The force of nature takes his part and acts with him. Promptness is not rashness. It never acts blindly. It does not waste its strength in random blows. It strikes at the right moment and in the right place. It sees clear- ly and acts a wise decision. It does not put off till to-morrow what it can do to-day.

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